

### **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace Paragraph [0001] of the application as published under no. US 2004/0200340 with the following paragraph rewritten in amendment format:

[0001] This ~~[[is]]~~ application is a divisional of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/366,586, filed on Aug. 4, 1999, **now U.S. patent 6,640,724 issued November 3, 2004 pending**, which is incorporated by reference herein in its entirety.